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FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5058
AMEMBASSY CANBERRA
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AMCONSUL HONG KONG
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THE FOLLOWING TELEGRAM WAS SENT 22 MAY 78 FM AMCONSUL UDORN
ACTION TO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK INFO AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE AND IS BEING
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QUOTE:

C O N F I D E N T I A L UDORN 0130

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SREF TH LA
SUBJECT: HMONG INFLUX INTO NONG KHAI PROVINCE

REF: A) UDORN 0015 (B) 0106

1. CONREP INTERVIEWED BUNG KAN AND PHON PHISAI DISTRICT,
NONG KHAI PROVINCE, POLICE AUTHORITIES MAY 22 AND OBTAINED
FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON RECENT REFUGEE INFLUX:
2. POLICE AUTHORITIES IN TWO DISTRICT REPORT COMBINED
TOTAL OF 178 NEW HMONG ARRIVALS BETWEEN 4-21 MAY, WITH LARGE
MAJORITY ENTERING A BUNG KAN. THEY ADD THAT 80 LOWLAND
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LAO AND 27 VIETNAMESE REFUGEES ALSO ENTERED THESE DISTRICTS
DURING SAME PERIOD.

3. NUMBER OF HMONG ARRIVALS HAS SLACKEENED OVER PAST
MONTH FROM 200-250 PER WEEK (REF B) TO CURRENT 75-80 PER
WEEK. NEVERTHELESS, POLICE AUTHORITIES IN BOTH DISTRICTS
CLAIM THAT, BASED ON THEIR INTERVIEWS WITH NEW REFUGEES

AND OTHER SOURCES, LARGE NUMBERS OF ADDITIONAL HMONG FROM
PHU BIA AREA ARE WAITING ON LAO SIDE OF MEKONG FOR
OPPORTUNITY TO CROSS RIVER BORDER INTO THAILAND. ACCORDING
TO OUR UNOFFICIAL TALLY, APPROXIMATELY 2200 HMONG REFUGEES
HAVE ENTERED NONG KHAI PROVINCE SINCE MARCH 1.
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